

# JAP MESSAGES BODED WAR

Plenty of Bananas

Films Show 20 Years  
Of Nazi Gangsterism  
As War Trial Evidence



Murder Trial  
Jury Inspects  
Ellwood Scene

Makes Trip To Site Of Fatal  
Shooting On Night Of  
September 15

EVIDENCE TAKING  
NOW BEING STARTED

THE CONDELLA JURY

Leubahn Hohmann, housekeeper,  
Plainsboro township.  
Myrtle Wilkinson, housekeeper,  
seventh ward.  
Ruth Stevens, housekeeper, second  
ward.  
Samuel Carr, painter, fourth ward.  
Henry Harmon, carpenter, Ma-  
honing township.  
Max Bilger, housekeeper, Pulaski  
township.  
Myrtle Glass, housekeeper, sixth  
ward.  
Charlotte Swisher, housekeeper,  
second ward.  
Mary Lackey, clerk, Wilmington  
township.  
Herbert Morse, farmer, Wilming-  
ton township.  
Joseph A. Bailey, laborer, third  
ward.  
James Todd, foreman, Pulaski  
township.

ALTERNATES

George Pelto, clerk, Bessemer.  
Winifred Bell, clerk, fifth ward.

James Johns of 403½ Lyndell  
street has returned home from a  
hunting trip in McKean county  
where he bagged a 150-pound eight-  
point buck.

(International Soundphoto)

## PA NEW OBSERVES

Joe Roth, Jr., R. D. No. 4, re-  
ported to Pa News that he brought  
in a 150 pound 8 point buck at  
home on Thursday, December 6.  
C. M. Pittz of 1619 East Wash-  
ington street was in the party.

It was not long after school was  
out Monday afternoon following the  
snowfall when boys and girls  
brought out their sleds from storage  
and were out on the slopes sled rid-  
ing. One of the locations we noticed  
that was being used was that of Oak  
street hill.

"A cyclist, like a pedestrian, can-  
not compete with a motor vehicle in  
a collision," the state revenue de-  
partment said today in urging bi-  
cycle operators to ride safely.  
"Bicycle accident, like pedestrian ac-  
cidents, can be avoided if cyclists  
used due care in their riding and  
waited for the right of way to a  
motor vehicle, whether they have it  
or not," the department stated.

James Gibson, aged 15, of Mt.  
Jackson, reported to Pa News this  
morning that he shot a 150-pound  
three-point buck Saturday morning  
at 41 o'clock at Spruce Creek, Hunt-  
ington county.

Four local hunters have returned  
from a trip in the vicinity of Mar-  
tinsville, each being successful in  
bagging a buck. They are Heacy  
Strausbaugh and son Edward of  
219 Pearson street, son Tom of Vine  
street and John Bonfield of Vine  
street.

Some of the traffic lights on  
streets in the downtown area were  
shifted over to the blinker system  
Monday afternoon when travel con-  
ditions became treacherous on the  
highways.

Two weeks from today will be  
Christmas Day, in case you aren't  
familiar with the rapidly approach-  
ing date.

Some motorists had chains put  
on their autos last night and this  
morning, due to traffic conditions  
on the slippery roads and streets.  
Hills were well ashed, and travel  
was not too difficult for most mo-  
torists. Few accidents were re-  
ported.

Skating enthusiasts are hopeful.  
Temperature dropped below 20 de-  
grees and a continuation of this  
temperature should put a nice skat-  
ting surface on the ponds in this  
locality.

By a strange coincidence, Dr.  
Henry Sloan was attracted by the  
item in Monday's Pa News column  
which told about the welcome home  
sign at the Welker home on the  
Harbor road, when he received a  
letter from his nephew, Dr. Norman  
Schoenfeld, in which he told about

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President Names

Red Cross Head

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(INS)—  
President Truman today reappointed  
Basil O'Connor of New York City,  
former law partner of the late  
President Roosevelt, as chairman of  
the American Red Cross.

The president also named the  
following persons to the central  
committee of the Red Cross:

William L. Clayton, assistant sec-  
retary of state; Secretary of Treasury  
Fred M. Vinson; Army Surgeon  
General Norman Kirk; Vice Adm.  
Ross T. McIntire, surgeon of the  
Navy; and Attorney General  
Tom Clark.

Statistics for the same date a year  
ago follow:

Maximum temperature, 29.

Minimum temperature, 20.

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inches of snow.

River stage, 6 feet.

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ago follow:

Maximum temperature, 36.

Minimum temperature, 33.

Precipitation, trace snow.

## Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a.m. today follow:

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## Expect Break In Carlan Kidnapping

Following Questioning Of  
Parents Of Stolen Child,  
Police Start Mystery  
Trip

CHELSEA, Mass., Dec. 11.—(INS)—Police officials indicated today that they expected a major break in the investigation of the Carlan kidnapping within 24 hours.

This disclosure climaxed a secret police mission which started at midnight after Mr. and Mrs. James J. Carlan, parents of the abducted six-month-old baby, Ronald, had been questioned separately for almost three hours by Chelsea and state police and FBI agents.

Police Chief Charles M. Finn passed off queries about what the questioners had learned with the comment that "we uncovered several new points of interest."

At midnight Chief Finn and other police officials left on a mystery assignment.

### Seek Man and Woman

Mrs. Carlan was reported suffering from complete nervous exhaustion and was under the care of a physician.

Boston police, meanwhile, were conducting a widespread hunt through the south end for a swarthy man and his "hard-faced red-haired" woman companion, believed to be the pair who have been making threatening and ransom-demand telephone calls to the Carlan home.

Today is the 13th day since the youngster was snatched from his carriage in which he had been left for a sun nap across the street from the Carlan home.

## Shriners Will Attend Ceremonial

Lawrence Caravan Making Up  
Party To Attend Fall Cere-  
monial At Syria Mosque

Many members of Lawrence Caravan, No. 15, A. A. O. N. M. S. are making plans to attend the fall ceremonial of Syria Temple which will take place at Syria Mosque Thursday, Dec. 13.

Busses will leave at the Legion Home for Pittsburgh at two o'clock Thursday afternoon, and those who have not already made reservations are asked to contact President Howard Duff by Wednesday evening.

There will be several candidates from New Castle who will take the initiatory work in the fall class.

### Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us in the death of our father, George Williams. Also for flowers and cars.

### THE WILLIAMS FAMILY

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BUY Christmas SEALS

### THE MESSIAH TO BE PRESENTED ON SUNDAY NIGHT

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of Youngstown, O., and Delbert Fletcher bass member of the First Presbyterian church choir.

The soloists will be accompanied by two of New Castle's finest musicians, Mrs. Richard Allen, organist of the First Christian church, New Castle, at the piano, and Edwin Lewis, organist of the First Methodist church, at the organ.

### Ministerial Association Sponsor

This annual presentation is sponsored by the New Castle Ministerial association.

Many churches dispense with their usual evening service on this occasion, thus permitting their congregations to hear this glorious musical festival.

Contributing their assistance to assure the success of this seventh annual presentation of "The Messiah" are Mrs. George Streicher, president of the Music club; Mrs. C. W. Cameron, manager of the Aeolian Hall; Miss Jane Kyle, librarian; Miss Ruth Weir, accompanist for rehearsals; and Mrs. John Evans, assistant accompanist.

### SLIGHT CHANGE IN CONDITION OF GEN. GEO. PATTON

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Mannheim Sunday, the colorful former Third Army commander's condition became critical at noon yesterday.

### On Eve of Return to U. S.

An official army bulletin said however that Patton was "responding satisfactorily" to treatment.

Meanwhile, International News Service learned that the accident which fractured a spinal vertebra and caused complete paralysis from the neck down occurred on the very eve of Patton's return to the United States and possible retirement from active duty.

Orders for a 30-day furlough already had been written when the four-star general and his chief of staff, Maj. Gen. Hobart Gay, started on the pheasant hunt which ended in a mile-a-minute ambulance dash from Mannheim.

With his tour of duty as U. S. 15th Army commander scheduled for completion shortly after January 1, Patton probably would have been retired at expiration of his leave.

## Deaths of the Day

### Louis C. Jenkins

Louis C. Jenkins, of 412 Sheridan avenue, died at Cresson, Pa., this morning at 9:10 o'clock, following a lingering illness.

He was born in New Castle, October 15, 1889, son of Benjamin and Hannah Jenkins. He resided here all his lifetime, was an inspector at Johnson Bronze. He was a member of the First Christian church.

His wife, Mrs. Rene Deardt Jenkins, survives, and children: Louis Jr., Joseph G., and Ruth, at home; a step-son, Donald E. Wingrove, Iowa State college; two brothers, Joseph and Henry, this city; a sister, Mrs. Mary Kray, this city.

His father, Benjamin, and brother, David, died in 1944.

Funeral services will be Friday at 2 p.m. from the residence, Dr. G. S. Bennett in charge. Friends may call at the home, any time after 2 p.m. Wednesday.

### Brewster Funeral

Funeral services for Joseph F. Brewster were held at noon Monday at the Joseph B. Leyde mortuary, Highland at Winter. Elder William McCune in charge.

At 3 p.m. funeral services were held in the Tylersburg Presbyterian church. Friends were pallbearers.

Interment was in the church cemetery.

### Mrs. Anna L. Norton

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Her brother, Albert R. Norton, Pittsburgh, preceded her in death two weeks ago. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. John B. Offutt, this city, and Helen Norton, Youngstown, O., and a brother, Dr. Howard L. Norton, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Funeral services will be at the Offutt funeral home, North Mercer street, Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. Dr. D. L. Ferguson of the Highland U. P. church conducting.

Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery. Friends will be received Tuesday, four to five p.m. and seven to nine p.m.

### Mrs. Edith M. Snyder

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Mrs. Snyder, daughter of the late Mrs. Henry and Margaret Bump, was born April 10, 1882, in Venango county. She had been a resident for the past five years of Bessemer, where she belonged to the Presbyterian church.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Hildred Pepe and Mrs. Iva Penwell, both of Hillsville, and Mrs. Open Nelson, New Castle, and two sons, Alvin and Paul Snyder, both of Bessemer.

She also leaves two sisters, Mrs. Emma Snyder and Mrs. Janette Snyder, both of Kemmerer, Pa., four brothers, James Bump, Beaver, O., Melvin and John Bump, both of Kemmerer, and Henry Bump, California; 18 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lemuel Snyder, in 1936 and by a daughter, Mrs. Edna Baird, in 1938.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Cunningham funeral home, Bessemer, with the Rev. E. Chester Crabb officiating.

Interment will take place in Castle View Burial Park.

Friends are being received at the funeral home this evening and Wednesday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock and Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock.

### Moses Funeral

Funeral services for Merle L. Moses of Bessemer, were conducted Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the R. L. Boyd funeral home with the Rev. Chester Crabb of the Bessemer Presbyterians church, officiating. The Rev. W. J. Enloe, retired minister of Enon Valley, assisted in the services.

Rev. Wallace Harry Hinson, J. J. McLaughlin, Louis Rudessil, F. P. Sanford and C. C. Dindinger served as pallbearers.

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### Cardella Funeral

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Pallbearers were members of the Christopher Columbus society, and

they were also honorary pallbearers as were members of the Sons of Italy.

Pallbearers were: Louis Ezzo, Anthony Marte, Frank Dattilo, Guy Mason, Domenick Prospero, Genaro Baratello, Dominick Niello and Alex DeAngelis.

Interment was in St. Lucy's cemetery, Father Inteso conducting the committal service, assisted by Father Pirilli. Orations at the grave were given by Frank Dattilo of the Christopher Columbus society, and John De Lorenzo of the Sons of Italy.

### Mrs. Mary A. Riley

Mrs. Mary Ann Riley, of the corner of Jefferson and Failes streets, died this morning at 10:15 o'clock in the Jameson Memorial hospital.

The body has been removed to the Cunningham funeral home, East Washington and Chestnut streets.

Further obituary will be published in Wednesday's paper.

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A special meeting of the church executive committee is called for the same evening by Henry T. Jones, president.

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# Society and Clubs

## Garth Edmundson Plays Woman's Club Musicales

Certain occasions are memorable not only for their intrinsic enjoyment but as occasions when fellow-townsmen gather in tribute to a resident whose name is one of international note. Such an occasion was the Woman's club program Monday evening in the First Presbyterian church when Garth Edmundson, composer and organizer of the First Presbyterian church, played a Christmas organ recital.

Mr. Edmundson played for a large and appreciative audience of club members, their husbands and guests at what was the annual guest day program of Woman's club.

First part of the program was composed of three numbers: Procession Solemn and Chant Stripping by Alex Guilmant, which was written for the dedication of the organ in Notre Dame Cathedral, Paris, in 1870; Soeur Monique by Couperin, an early French composition in rondo form, freely arranged by Mr. Edmundson. In Memoriam by Harvey Gaul, played in honor of the late Dr. Gaul.

For the second part of the program Mr. Edmundson played from his original manuscript the first public performance of three Modern Preludes, on Communion Themes: More Love to Thee, Jesus, Gentle Saviour, and a Parting Hymn We Sing.

Third part of the program included the organist's own composition Elegy published in 1942; his Von Hummel Hoch published in 1935, which now heads the national survey of American toccatas; and Pax Vobiscum published in 1930.

### Section G. Y. L. B. Class

Section G associates of the Y. L. B. class of the Third U. P. church will have an all day session and queen luncheon Thursday at the home of Mrs. Sadie Richardson, Butler road.

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### AFTERNOON TEA GIVEN FOR BRIDE

One of the lovely events of the holiday season was the tea given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Charles W. Nolan and Mrs. George A. Carpenter at Mrs. Nolan's home, 427 East Sheridan avenue, for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles W. Nolan Jr.

Between the hours of two and five o'clock the hostesses and guest of honor received nearly 60 guests. Arrangements of flowers decorated the house for the occasion.

Tea was served from a table centered with a bouquet of all white flowers with Mrs. David P. McBride and Miss Mary McBride pouring.

Mrs. John J. Arrington, Mrs. Charles M. Cholz, Mrs. John Hodge, and Mrs. Frank Richards were aides.

Mrs. Nolan Jr., who is the former Katherine Howard Posey, and her husband arrived recently in New Castle where they expect to make their home.

### RAINBOW GIRLS ARE GUESTS OF O. E. S.

Members of New Castle Chapter No. 105, Order of the Eastern Star, were delightfully entertained Monday evening when they had the privilege of witnessing the beautiful initiation ceremony of the Order of the Rainbow for Girls, which was exemplified by the officers and members of Assembly No. 1 in the east lodge room of the Cathedral.

A class of 25 girls was initiated by Miss Marion Whielder, worthy advisor, and her corps of officers. Preceding the ceremony there was a drill supervised by Mrs. Orville Potter. During the evening Miss Beverly Fox rendered a beautiful vocal number, and special music was also furnished by the choir, directed by Mrs. Clifford Propst.

Mrs. Coraeta Reid, worthy matron of the guest chapter, was presented with several lovely gifts by the assembly.

Following the program, the girls were guests of the chapter at a delightful Christmas luncheon in the dining room. Both the lobby and dining room were attractively decorated in keeping with the season, and lovely favors were given.

Mrs. Edith Simpson was in charge of the refreshments, assisted by Mrs. Bertha Armstrong, while the decorations and favors were arranged by Mrs. Thelma Thompson.

### Pantherette Club

Pantherette club members will have a Christmas party this evening in the club rooms, South Mill street. Mrs. A. J. Capozzo as chairman, Mrs. Robert Palma, Mrs. Josephine Panella, Mrs. John Fuleno and Mrs. Anthony Amirose will assist.

The girls chose an aqua blue suit with winter white and navy blue accessories. Her flowers were an orchid corsage.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents.

Mr. Leight was recently discharged from the armed forces after serving 40 months in the Air Force, 15 months overseas.

The newlyweds left later in the day on a wedding trip to Canada, Niagara Falls and New York City. On their return the couple will take no residence for the present with the bride's parents.

### LAURA DOYLE FETED AT PRE NUPTIAL TEA

Mrs. Fred A. Howland Jr., 1604 East Washington street, was a charming hostess on Sunday afternoon at a pre-nuptial tea honoring Miss Laura Doyle, future bride.

From the hours of four to six, a delighted social period was enjoyed, and assisting the hostess at the beautifully arranged table was Mrs. Keith Armstrong.

Miss Doyle received a lovely shoulder corsage in addition to many useful gifts.

Miss Doyle will become the bride of S-Sgt. Jack Withrow upon his arrival home.

### BAPTIST GROUP AT KING HOME

Ethel Hurst Bible class associates of the First Baptist church were entertained at a delightful holiday assembly Friday evening in the home of Mrs. John C. King, of 135 Park avenue.

As the guests entered the house, strains of Christmas music were heard. The rooms of the home were beautifully decorated with pine and other trimmings, suggestive of the Yuletide season.

Devotionals were conducted by Mrs. Jacob ter Linden. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Robert McNeese, while Mrs. Horace Tressler contributed a talk on the subject, "Peace." Group singing of carols, with Mrs. Carl Barber, as accompanist, was enjoyed.

Mrs. Frank Williamson and Mrs. Robert Reese distributed the gifts which had been placed under a living Christmas tree in the reception hall. "Secret sisters" for the past year were revealed. Mrs. Oliver W. Hurst, teacher of the group, was presented a gift in behalf of the class.

Lunch was served by Mrs. King, aided by the co-hostesses, Mrs. Gladys Currie and Mrs. Ralph Leonardi, and her mother, Mrs. Jesse McCannon.

### RAMSEY LEIGHT CHURCH CEREMONY

Miss Isabelle Ramsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsey of 718 Brooklyn avenue, became the bride of John W. Leight, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Leight of R. D. 1, at a quiet ceremony performed in the Second U. P. church at 11 o'clock Saturday morning, Dec. 8.

Rev. J. Calvin Rose officiated with the single ring service in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leight of Wampum and Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn Cunningham of Ellwood City.

The bride chose an aqua blue suit with winter white and navy blue accessories. Her flowers were an orchid corsage.

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(Wednesday)

College, Jamestown hospital nurses home.

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Legs of the Lions. Mrs. Harry Helmick, 14 East Wallace avenue. Wimodians, Scottish Rite Cathedral.

North Beaver Garden, dinner, Grange Hall.

East Side Garden, Mrs. Scott T. McEntire, East Wallace avenue.

P. G., Elizabeth Ungar, Sheridan avenue.

Jolly Twelves, Mrs. Albert Perkins, Round street.

W. C. Mrs. O. W. Calderwood, 105 Backford street.

Joyce, Mrs. Albert Sherman, 1507 Grimes street.

United, Mrs. Anthony Croach, Harrison street.

1937 Elks club.

None Like Us, Mrs. Josephine Nakon, Pennsylvania avenue.

St. Nick's Events Planned

Next meeting of the recently organized St. Nick's club will be held Tuesday evening, December 18, according to announcement made at a meeting earlier this month.

On December 23 at 6 o'clock the club will hold a banquet in honor of St. Nicholas, patron saint of St. Nicholas Greek Catholic church. A program is planned.

Definite plans are to be completed for a Russian New Year's dance.

St. Nick's Events will be completed the next session Monday evening, January 7.

I. O. O. Club

I. O. O. club members were received in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Miller of Sampson street recently with Mrs. Clara Speco, Butler road, as hostess.

Games were the diversions of the evening, prizes awarded to Mrs. Vida Morgan, Mrs. Martha Miller and Robert Speed. Special guests

were Robert James and John Jr.

St. Nick's Club was served by the ladies invited to Mrs. Miller.

The next meeting will be a Christmas party Friday, Dec. 21, with Mrs. Elizabeth Miller in charge.

Business will include election of officers to serve for the ensuing five meetings.

Feature of the Christmas program will be the customary exchange of gifts. "A Christmas Custom" will be given in answer to call all.

Tea will be served by the annual officers.

Victory Ten Club

Mrs. Mary Nicholson of East street entertained the Victory Ten club associates at a delightful mid-winter assembly in her home Monday evening.

Various games were enjoyed with trophies being won by Mrs. Ida Custer, Mrs. James House and Mrs. Elsie Burnside, who also received the special prize. Mrs. Evelyn Welsh captured the day prize.

After the group had exchanged gifts, an appropriate luncheon was served by Mrs. Nicholson, aided by her daughter Andrea.

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### Heavy Blow To Japanese

In requiring the arrest of former Premier Prince Fumimaro Konoye and Baron Kuniaki Koiso along with seven other prominent Japanese leaders, General MacArthur has rocked the Jap political structure to its foundations. The emperor institution may survive this shock, but if it does it will be in profoundly altered form.

This latest blow falls just short of the throne. Prince Konoye is both a member of the imperial house and perhaps the most influential of the group now close to Hirohito, for it was he who was chosen to write a new Japanese constitution and apparently to assume leadership in putting it into effect. As for Baron Koiso, who has just resigned as lord privy seal, he was the emperor's trusted adviser all during the war.

With these men in custody, the emperor will have no alternative but to turn elsewhere for counsel in the future. More important, General MacArthur's action plainly implies that the plans that had been drafted for changing Japan's frame of government are unacceptable. Something far more thoroughgoing than anything Prince Konoye was likely to put forward will have to be offered if the approval of supreme headquarters is to be forthcoming.

It is equally clear that Japanese liberals who have hesitated to risk challenging the old order will be encouraged by this latest proof that General MacArthur will not be satisfied with halfway measures. The demand for real reform should become more insistent as those who have stood in the way have the ground cut from beneath their feet.

### So It Cannot Happen Again

With respect to some matters, the testimony in the Pearl Harbor hearings may be both shadowy and confusing—such as, for instance, General Marshall's inability to remember clearly what he did on December 7, 1941, or at what time he went for his horseback ride and at what time he returned.

But the testimony so far heard has proved beyond question that Washington's failure to be on the alert that fateful December 7 resulted in a war which could either have been averted entirely or won in infinitely shorter time.

General Marshall himself—and there can be no better or higher authority—is now on record with the statement that American forces in Hawaii were sufficient in numbers and arms to beat off an attack of the kind which the enemy made and that the Japanese, had they been thwarted on that occasion, would never have taken Singapore, never have cut the Burma Road and "might have lost their whole southward campaign."

The conclusion therefore is that the lapse at Pearl Harbor was directly responsible for the untold suffering and misery which so many Americans had to undergo through four long years and which was so costly in blood and treasure.

It was the greatest mistake in American history. The more reason exists, therefore, for the most thorough exploration of the causes of the disaster and no delicate concern for the reputation of any man, living or dead, should be permitted to turn the investigators from the examination of every scrap of pertinent evidence and the just assessment of what happened.

It happened once, to the nation's cost and sorrow. To find out now why it happened is the best way to make sure that nothing like it can ever happen again.

### Comparison Gives Meaning To Debt

The federal debt is so big that the figures representing it are beyond comprehension. Only when it is compared to something near by, and more or less familiar can its meaning begin to be appreciated. That is what the Washington State Taxpayers' association has done in an attempt to bring home to the voters the fact that \$300,000,000,000, which the federal debt now approaches, is something to worry about.

Pointing out that the population of Washington is 1.43 per cent of the total population of the United States, the association says:

We therefore have a share in the federal debt of 1.43 of \$300,000,000,000, or \$429,000,000. This is approximately four times the total assessed value of all real and personal property in the state and twice the total value of all taxable property. Our share is 10.725 times the constitutional limit of state debt of \$400,000 and 40 times the amount of bonds that can be issued by our taxing authorities with a favorable vote of the people, under the 5 per cent limit fixed in the constitution. At our present rate of expenditure it would run our schools or our old-age pension system for 85 years.—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

So-called world powers have one common objective—a "loan" of several billions from Uncle Sam.

Robot has been constructed which is described as having more brains than man, a doubtful compliment.

There is considerable discussion as to just where the Japanese would have liked to see our fleet located in December, 1941. Judging from results, we can't think of any location they could have preferred to Pearl Harbor.

## One Man's Opinion

By WALTER KIERNAN

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Well Jimmie Byrnes is off for Moscow for the holidays. But the Russians don't expect anything big from us for Christmas. They will be grateful for an atom.

Anyhow it will be quite a sight to see Byrnes, Bevin and Molotov, arms locked around each other, singing "should auld estrangements be forgot or always kept in mind?"

Meanwhile, Lord Keynes leaves New York for London . . . The First neccy case (International Division) to get an answer from Santa Claus.

Harold Laski found us soft and flabby but Keynes found our money crisp, firm and plentiful and if he would establish six weeks residence in Missouri he'd be our choice for secretary of the treasury.

It took all the forces of the Treasury department under Mr. Vinson, five weeks to ring up a 13 billion dollar victory loan. Then Keynes stepped up, slapped the register once and out tumbled billions.

And that's not a bad jack pot for a man representing a government whose name finds us economically unorthodox.

And to change the subject from economic decadence to fighting magnificence . . . If you pray at all, throw in a little pitch for Gen. George S. Patton.

Present your problems to Miss

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Tomorrow—Uninvited Guests.

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## Hoover Attacks U.S. Communists

F. B. I. Head Warns Police  
Chiefs Of Nation Against  
Purveyors Of Alien  
Isms

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 11.—(INS)—FBI Chief J. Edgar Hoover on Monday branded American Communists as foes of the United States who are attempting to "undermine our Democratic institutions."

In an address before the 52nd annual meeting of the International Association of Police Chiefs, Hoover warned against "the subversive and purveyor of alien isms who seek to transform the America we know and take to a land of class struggle."

The fight against Fascist communism, Hoover told the police chiefs, "To the Fascist for me must be added another the American Communist, Fascist smear attempt."

"These panderers of diabolic distrust already are concentrating their efforts to confuse and divide by applying the Fascist smear to progressive police departments, the FBI and other American institutions to conceal their own sinister purposes."

The godless, truthless way of life that American Communists would force on America can mean only tyranny and oppression if they succeed. They are against the liberty which is America—they are for the license of their own.

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The Fascist-minded tyrant whom we conquered on the battlefields is no different from the American Communists, corruptionist who now uses the tricks of the confidence man until his forces are sufficiently strong to rise with arms in revolt.

"The big guns of the Communist party in the U. S. are aimed at returning veterans, openly boasting that here is a new front behind which they can hide.

They have selected a worthy foe for the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars are too experienced in fighting America's enemies to be hoodwinked by these Communist swindlers," he stated.

Hoover asserted that "America cannot exist half Democratic and half Communist or Fascist."

## Twenty-Six Have Police Permits To Carry Revolver

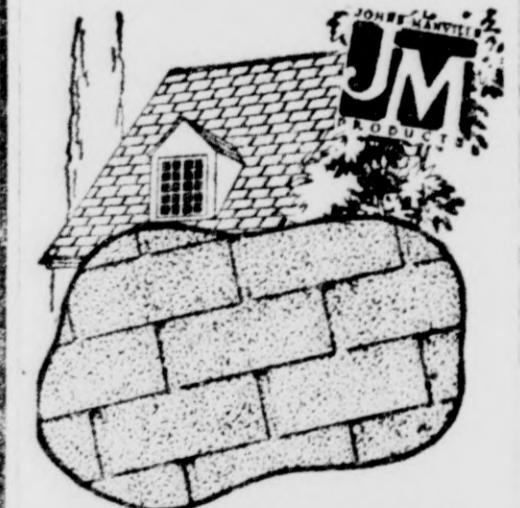
Prior to anyone getting a permit to carry a revolver in New Castle the person seeking the permit must convince Chief of Police Robert D. Helms that he not only has a good reputation, knows how to handle a revolver but in addition must prove that he is engaged in a position, such as a paymaster, man who carries considerable money and needs it for protection of himself and valuables. Only 26 persons here own such permits from the police chief.

**THIRSTY BANDITS**  
WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 11.—(INS)—A gang of thugs was sought today by Wheeling police after it broke into the C. A. Schafer Beer Distributing company warehouse, broke 50 cases of beer, stole a truck loaded with 179 cases and a safe containing \$700 in cash.

The truck and the beer was found wrecked near Clinton and the safe a short distance away, battered open.

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Universal  
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Pantherettes Club

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# Society AND Clubs

## ATLAS-O'BRIEN EVENING WEDDING

Miss Hazel Atlas, daughter of Harry Athoule of the Fountain hotel, became the bride of Francis H. O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. O'Brien, Cunningham avenue, at a double ring ceremony Saturday evening at 7:30 in Epworth Methodist church, in the form of a candlelight service, with Rev. G. D. Braun officiating.

The bride was attired in a powder blue street length dress with pink accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Her attendant, Mrs. Saline Douglas, wore a lime green dress with white accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds.

Charles W. O'Brien, brother of the groom, served as best man. John Drion, Jr., and Walter Ziegler were ushers.

Mrs. Roy Kapp, cousin of the groom, sang the selections "Because" and "I Love You Truly" accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Anna Pyle.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

The newlyweds, after a short wedding trip, have taken up residence at 821 East Washington street.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. O'Brien and Dale O'Brien of Beaver, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kapp of New Brighton, Mrs. Elizabeth O'Brien of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Ona Rhodes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Brien and Mrs. Wilda Glover of Beaver Falls.

Mrs. O'Brien is employed at the Economy Dress shop and is a graduate of New Castle high school.

Mr. O'Brien attended New Castle high school and was recently discharged from the army medical department after serving 49 months at overseas. He is employed at the Fisher Bros. Dry Goods company.

## NOGAY KIMMEL ENGAGEMENT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Nogay, of 106 Hillcrest avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stela Ann, to W. Thomas Kimmel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimmel, Sr., Mountaineer Route 7, Ellwood City.

No date has been set for the wedding. Mr. Kimmel was recently discharged from the army.

## MAHONING POOK

### CLUB WILL MEET

Mahoning Book club will meet with Mrs. E. C. Hubert, West Cherry street, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for luncheon.

### Surprised On Birthday

Mrs. Thomas Perry of Wampum R. D. No. 2, entertained at a surprise birthday party for her daughter, Lois Jean, who celebrated her 12th birthday, Saturday.

The afternoon was spent playing games, after which a delightful lunch was served to 20 little guests. The honored girl received many lovely gifts. Mrs. Perry was assisted in serving by her daughter, Jerry and Mrs. Walter Ray.

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"I LOVE A MYSTERY" and  
"RENEGADES OF THE RIO GRANDE"

## READING CIRCLE CHRISTMAS TEA

Christmas tea for the Reading Circle was held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wayne Stitzinger, Clemmore boulevard. Beautiful decorations of the season graced the house for the occasion.

An answer to roll call members gave a Christmas quotation and a short business meeting followed. Gifts for the Neighborhood House were taken to the meeting.

Mrs. C. R. Kennedy of the program committee, turned the program over to Mrs. Dean Staley and Mrs. Arthur Mackey for the program of the afternoon.

Mrs. J. McElvaine was the speaker and read a humorous Christmas story, "The Little Mixer" by Lillian Nicholson Shearon. Mrs. McElvaine was introduced by Mrs. Pyle.

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## FEDERATION JUNIOR MEETING THURSDAY

Federal Juniors will be entertained at their annual Christmas meeting held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William V. Gilson, North Mercer street, on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Charles Criss is chairman of arrangements.

There will be a white elephant gift exchange.

### Italian Youth Fellowship

Youth Fellowship associates of the Italian Methodist church were entertained Saturday evening in the parsonage on Phillips street, with Earl Sulmonetti as host.

Plans were made for a watch night service to be conducted December 31. Reports of the sub-committee meeting were made by Earl Sulmonetti and Mary Metta.

The group took gifts that will be sent to the Ruth W. Smith Children's home at Sheffield.

Christmas carols were sung under the direction of Leah Metta and Emma Pearl. Games were under the supervision of Mrs. F. P. Sulmonetti.

Later gifts were exchanged, with Mrs. Mildred DeCristofaro in charge. Lunch was served by her sister, Ethna, and his mother, Mrs. Sulmonetti.

Rosetta and Charlotte Caravaggio will be hostesses at the next session in the church Saturday evening, January 19.

### Stitch-A-Bit Club

Stitch-A-Bit Club associates gathered in a local dining room Monday evening for their holiday assembly.

Devotionals were in charge of Mrs. Clare Lutz.

Mrs. Gladys Kray was program leader and she, with a group of girls, presented a card log with Miss Montgomery Rodgers at the piano.

All joined in singing Christmas carols to close.

Saints Class, later revealed as Mrs. Charles T. Metzler, teacher of the class, presented gifts. Mrs. Metzler was then presented with a refreshment.

Refreshments were served with Mrs. Mai Grossman, Mrs. Dennis Grossman and Mrs. Frank Brunsma as hosts.

### TIFERETH SISTERHOOD COMMITTEE NAMED

Due to the card party planned for Wednesday evening at the synagogue, there will be no meeting of Tifereth Israel Sisterhood this evening.

Committee in charge of Wednesday evening's fund-raising event is Mrs. I. Smith, Mrs. L. Zieve, Mrs. A. Goldman, Mrs. G. Shavonky, Mrs. M. Waldman, Mrs. P. Alpern, Mrs. S. Levin, Mrs. H. Pitoff, Mrs. Schwartz, Mrs. C. Maderson, Mrs. A. Cohen, Mrs. J. Cobb, and Mrs. P. Frank.

Hostesses are Mrs. T. Alarie, Mrs. D. Alarie, Mrs. C. Alarie,

Mrs. M. Kautz, Mrs. H. Coloway, Mr. C. Kudner, Mrs. N. Land, Mrs. J. Grossberg, Mrs. A. Samuel, Mrs. J. Greenberg.

Entertainment will start at 8 o'clock.

### Union Label League

Women's Union Label League will have a tureen dinner this evening at 6 o'clock in the Trades and Labor Assembly hall, followed by the regular meeting.

It is estimated that unclaimed, cancer will kill 17,600,000 of the people living in the United States today.

## 3-Way aid— FOR PILES

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## AUTO ACCIDENTS TAKE BIG JUMP ON STATE ROADS

There were three fatalities on Lawrence county highways during November and none during the same month of 1944, according to state police who reported today that "since the end of the war and full tanks of gas, there apparently has been a let down in the same manner in which an auto should be operated."

There were 18 accidents last month compared to only nine during November of 1944, or twice as many. In the crashes there were 22 injured or more than twice as many during November of 1944 as during November when only 10 were hurt.

"Cars are old, tires are not as good as they should be, but, despite these facts some motorists persist in stepping harder instead of less lightly, on a gas pedal," the state police said, after which they expressed the opinion that "a motor vehicles in the hands of a man who sacrifices common sense for speed usually lands in a hospital or in a funeral home."

### WAMPUM

#### SEE COLLEGE PLAY

Thirty students from the Wampum high school went to New Wilmington Saturday night and saw the play, Romeo and Juliet, at the college. They were accompanied by Prof. I. V. Holmes and Mr. Jean Miles, teachers.

#### CHRISTMAS PARTY

Members of the King's Daughter's class of the Presbyterian Sunday school will enjoy their annual Christmas dinner and party Wednesday 6 p.m. in the church dining room. The husbands will be guests at this dinner.

#### RE-ENLISTS IN ARMY

Cpl. Alvin T. Holmes, home on a furlough left today for Camp Barker, Tex. Tom has been in the army 3 years, overseas 19 months, and has re-enlisted for three more years service.

#### WAMPUM NOTES

Mrs. Mary Jane Jackson continues quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grinnan were in Elwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall and family were visitors at the C. M. Harvey's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Flynt spent Sunday in Cleveland, Ohio.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carmen Leopardo, a daughter in the Jamison Memorial hospital.

Mrs. F. C. Herbert spent yesterday with her daughter, Mrs. Naomi Leopardo, in the Jamison Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Lenora Stapi, Mrs. C. B. Morrow, Mrs. H. E. King Jerry and friends were in Pittsburgh Saturday.

#### MAY CHANGE SYSTEM

GROVE CITY, Dec. 11—Borough council will advertise for bids for garbage collection during the coming year, and may revert to the private contract method of handling the job in 1946. For two years the work has been done by borough employees.

Under the present system, garbage cannot be wrapped in paper and housewives have filed frequent objections.

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Samuel Little, West Camden, N. J., planted the tree from which years later, he made his own coffin.

## Charles Shaffer Re-Enlists For Three-Year Term

Immediately after receiving his honorable discharge from the U. S. army at the separation center at Fort Dix, N. J., Cpl. Charles G. M. Shaffer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shaffer of R. D. 5, re-enlisted in the regular army and will serve a three-year period with the Air Transport Command.

Although he never left the United States, Corporal Shaffer has served in the army since April 20, 1942 and has been stationed at Keeler Field, Miss., St. Petersburg, Fla., Boca Raton, Fla., Las Vegas, N. M., San Bernardino, Calif., Wilmington, Del., and Fort Dix, N. J.

Cpl. Shaffer served in the army as a cook and baker, and for the past year has been with the ground crew of the Air Transport Command.

At present the New Castle soldier is enjoying his re-enlistment furlough of 90 days with his wife and son, Martin. They will visit relatives in Florida, Pennsylvania and Tennessee.

At the conclusion of his furlough, Cpl. Shaffer will return to his station at Fort Dix.

## Report 1033 Killed In Ten Months In State Auto Mishaps

HARRISBURG, Dec. 11—(INS)—The state revenue department reported today that 1033 persons were killed in motor vehicle accidents in Pennsylvania between January 1 and October 31, an increase of 49 deaths compared with the same period of 1944.

The number of persons killed on rural highways totaled 544 in the 10-month period while traffic fatalities in urban areas numbered 489, the department added.

Pedestrian fatalities during the period totaled 489, a decrease of 21 deaths compared with the 10 months of 1944.

One hundred and fifty-one persons died during October as the result of automobile accidents, the department disclosed.

Although fewer fatalities occurred during the initial five-months of the year, traffic deaths increased in June through October compared with 1944.

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## Centenarian Is Hale And Hearty

GROVE CITY, Dec. 11—Complaining only of a touch of rheumatism and slight cold after his 100th birthday anniversary, A. P. David this community's only centenarian went to his bed yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. McKinley, Grace Street. He enjoyed a birthday dinner and was gratified to receive cards and gifts.

His general health is good, but his eyesight failed several years ago. He enjoys the radio, particularly news and church programs, and smokes a pipe and cigar regularly. His appetite is good, and he has no taboo list of foods. He believes he reached 100 years by getting plenty of sleep and good food.

Mr. David was born in Germany but came to America as a youth. He has eight children, 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. His eldest grandchild is an army major. He has lived with his daughter, Mrs. McKinley, for six years.

## S-Sgt. Louis Juliano Leaves Army Duties

Returning Sunday evening from Indiana Gap, where he received his honorable discharge from the army, S-Sgt. Louis Juliano ended four years of army service.

Sgt. Juliano, who served in the coast guard, spent one year overseas in the European theater of operations, seeing service in France and Germany.

During his army career he received the good conduct medal, the ETO ribbon and World War II victory medal.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Juliano and husband of Mrs. Pauline Juliano, 1111½ Croton avenue.

## Holiday Cash

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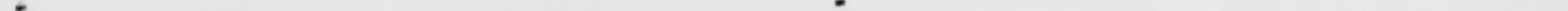
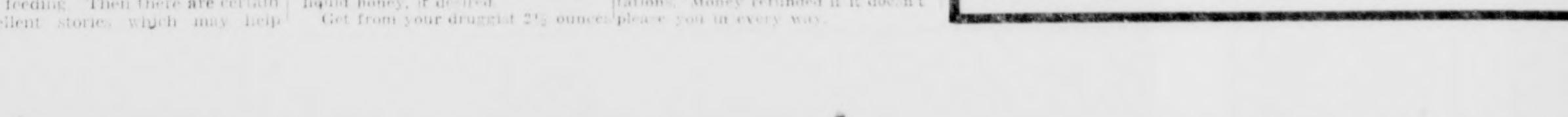
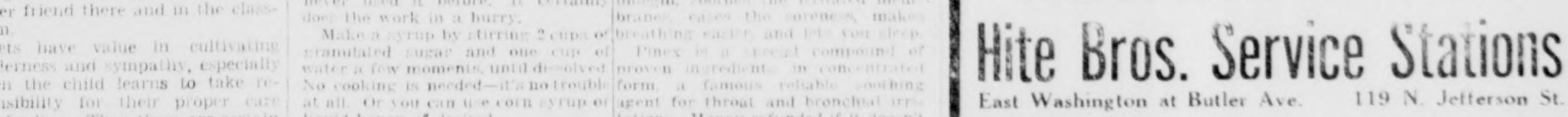
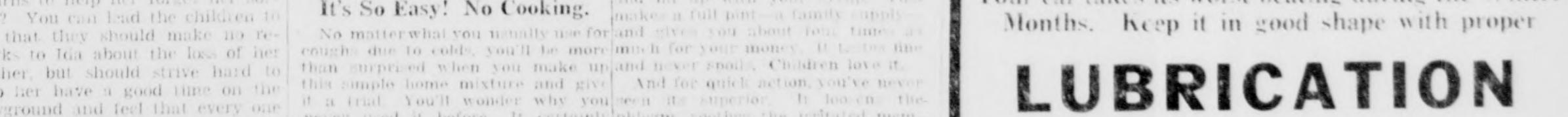
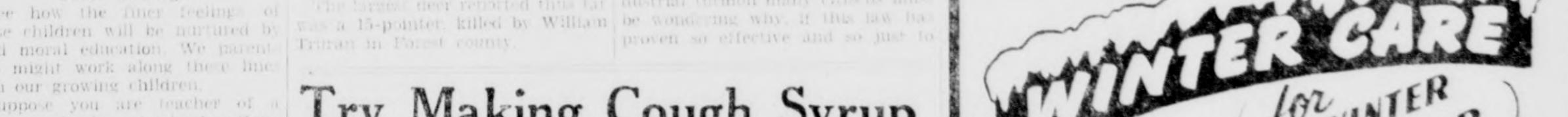
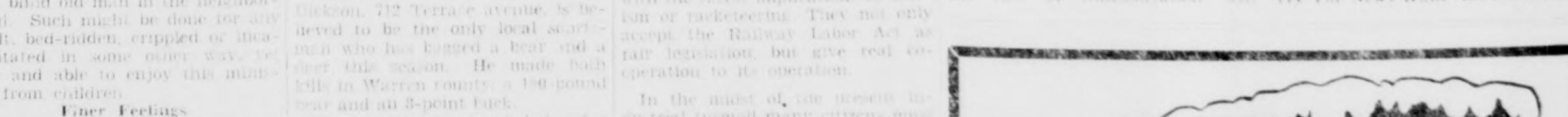
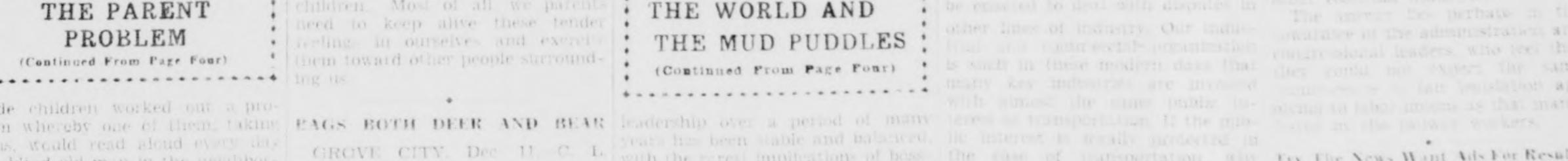
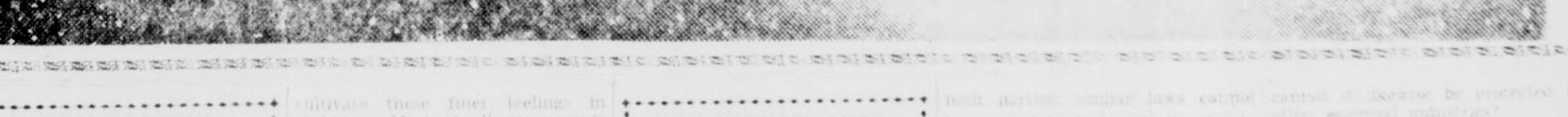
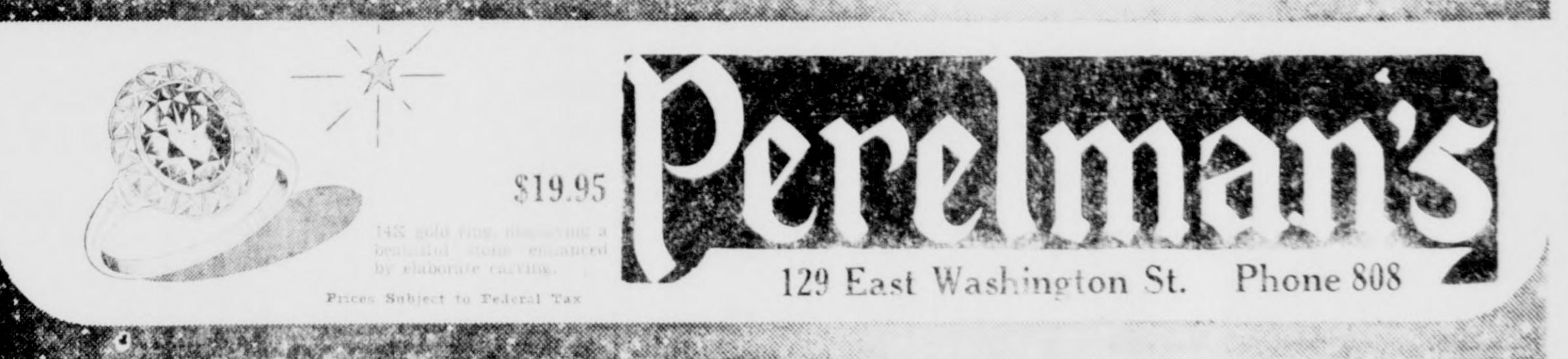
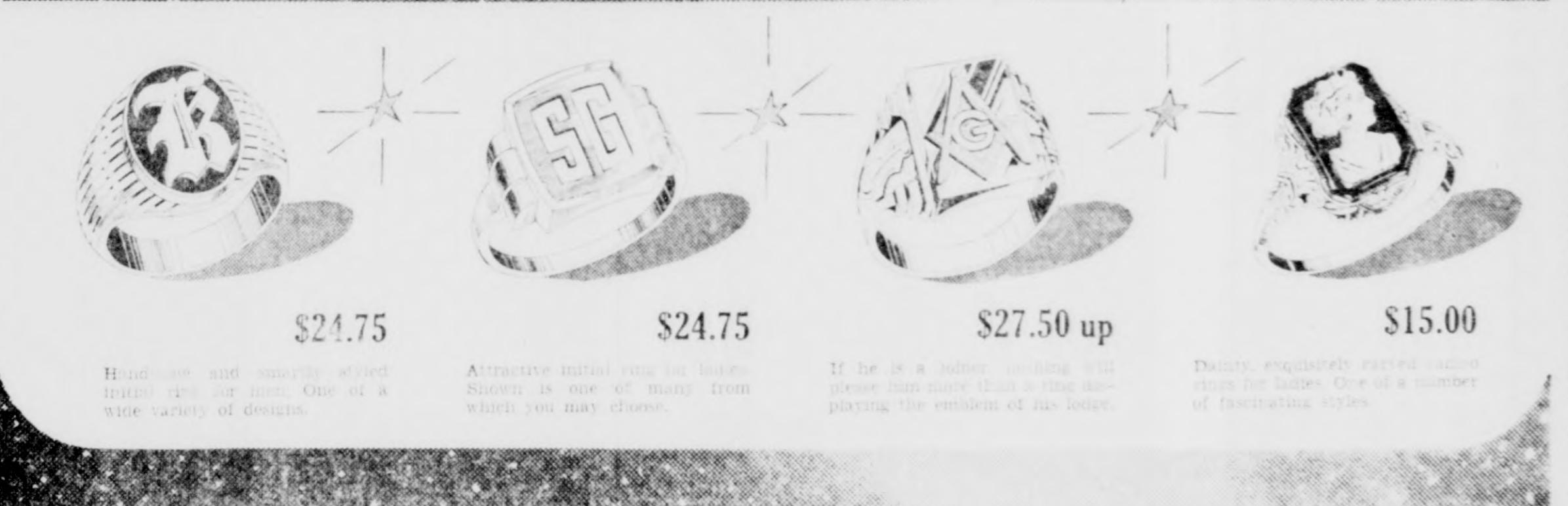
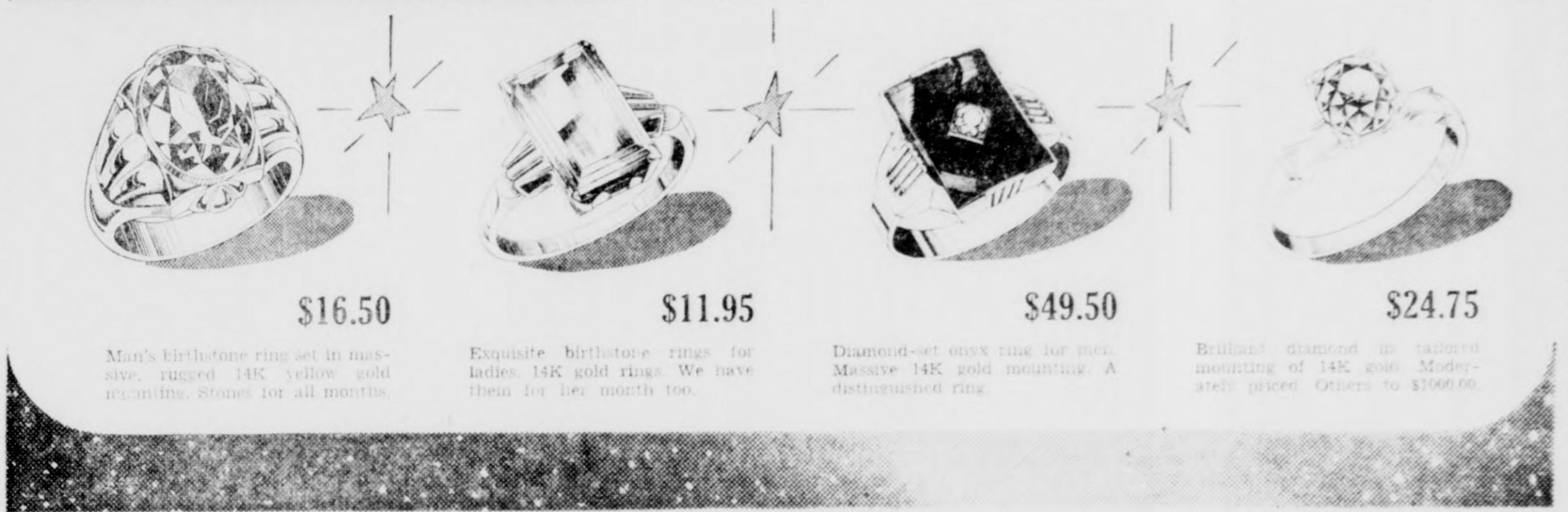
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## G.O.P. Leaders Foresee Gains

Expect Increase In Congress  
Membership For Party  
During Next Year

### OTHER NEWS OF STATE AFFAIRS

HARRISBURG, Dec. 11.—Republican leaders have predicted that the G.O.P. would "substantially" increase its margin of control on Pennsylvania's congressional delegation in next year's elections. The Republicans have an 18-member congressional bloc while the Democrats hold 15 seats, including six in Philadelphia and two in Allegheny county. At the present time the Democrats control both houses of Congress. G.O.P. officials appear confident that the Republicans will, as a result of the 1946 congressional elections throughout the nation, regain control of the lower chamber for the first time in 15 years. Congressmen serve two-year terms and receive a salary of \$10,000 a year.

Although the gubernatorial and U.S. senatorial campaigns will hold the spotlight next year, another important state office, secretary of internal affairs, will be filled by the electorate. The office, one of three Cabinet posts selected by the voters, pays \$10,000 a year. The term of office runs for four years. The present secretary is William S. Livingood, Jr., of Somerset, who was first elected to the office in 1938 and reelected in 1942.

The bi-monthly bulletin of the Pennsylvania Chiefs of Police has reported that of 30 state communities surveyed, 11 have special ordinances dealing with bicycles. Eight communities require residents owning bicycles to purchase licenses while Meadville and Titusville require licenses for both residents and non-residents. Communities which require residents to obtain annual

MAYWOOD, Cal., Dec. 11.—(INS)—Slight consolation though it was, three-year-old Marvie Clark had with him memories of a sumptuous Christmas party as he waited in the hospital today for his appointment with death.

The lad has a cancerous tumor which physicians have said will take his life in a matter of days. For this reason his Christmas party was held two days ago. Comedian Red Skelton, one of his favorites, visited the boy, thrilling him, and neighbors presented him with a mountain of gifts.

Then yesterday, because he has reached a point where he is in need of almost constant attention, Marvie was removed to the hospital to await the end.

William Howard Taft was the last President of the United States to have whiskers in any form. Taft was mustached.

### Seventh Ward

### Friends Gather To Mark Anniversary

A spokesman for the Pennsylvania Industrial Union Council (CIO) has reported that the approximately 600,000 miners of CIO unions in the commonwealth will be asked to contribute \$1 each to finance the Pennsylvania Political Action Committee's 1946 campaign. The spokesman explained the drive was expected to begin some time in January.

A State Planning Board booklet entitled "Conservation" has pointed out that agriculture provides the chief employment in 33 of the state's 67 counties and the second most important source in nine other counties. "The continuing prosperity of the state's agriculture is vital to the welfare of its manufacturing industries and its commerce," the booklet said.

### Afflicted Child Has Christmas, Is Awaiting Death

### Mahoning School May Double Quota

From the office of Mahoning school comes word that the attendance among the pupils today is much improved over what it was on Friday last. It is hoped that this period of freezing weather will cause an abatement in the amount of sickness among the pupils.

The amount of sale of Victory bonds and stamps is still going ahead very satisfactorily in this campaign; the figure has now reached \$5,519, the original goal by the Christmas vacation was placed at \$3,000. The pupils are now making a final spurt in an effort to double the quota by Christmas which will be quite an accomplishment.

McCOYS MEET FRIDAY  
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bicycle licenses ranging from 25 to 50 cents included Beaver Falls, Braddock, Ellwood City, Monheim, Milton, Northampton, Monaca and Homestead.

In the home of Mrs. M. C. Adams of 108 West Madison avenue, Mrs. Q. E. Davy and Mrs. C. E. Burdige will be co-hostesses.

**S-Sgt. W. S. Thompson  
Ends Air Service**  
Recently receiving his discharge from the armed forces, Staff Sgt. William S. Thompson of the air corps has arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Thompson of 401 West Madison avenue.

He had been in the service for four years and overseas in the European theater for 20 months. He was stationed in England, France and Germany.

S-Sgt. Thompson was awarded the RTO ribbon with three battle stars, the bronze star, good conduct medal.

Before going into the armed forces, Sgt. Thompson was in the employ of the National Cash Register company of Pittsburgh, and will rejoin the company the first of the year.

Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mine and family of Rochester, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Sam Laci and daughter of Beaver, and Pvt. Dom Mine of Rochester, leaving December 21 for overseas duty.

The honored guest received some splendid gifts and a purse of money.

**CHRISTMAS DINNER  
OF S.C.W.'S TONIGHT**

At the Mahoningtown Presbyterian church members of the S.C.W. Bible class will have their annual Christmas dinner this evening in the church dining room. Dinner will be served at 6 o'clock.

**SODALITY OFFICERS  
MEET THIS EVENING**

It is announced there will be a meeting of the new officers of the Immaculate Conception Sodality this evening, following the worship service, in the sisters' convent, attached to St. Lucy's church.

**BACK FROM OVERSEAS**

Cpl. Louis F. Domenick called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Domenick of 112 West Cherry street, from Boston, Mass., by telephone, stating he had arrived there from Europe. He will go to Indiantown Gap, where he expects to receive his honorable discharge.

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## Heavy Arguments On Pullman Sale

Cleveland Banking Concern Offers Argument For Separating Pullman Enterprise

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 11.—(INS)—The Pullman company, seeking approval of the \$75 million sale of the operating end of its sleeping car business to a group of 42 railroads, kept battering against stiff opposition today by three other bidders.

Largest charge in an attempt to block the sale during argument before a special U. S. expeditionary court in Philadelphia was hurled by Thurman Arnold, former U. S. assistant attorney general who declared such action would be a "cartel enterprise."

Arnold was the mainstay of the government's prosecution of Pullman as a monopoly and the firm was ordered to dispose of the operating or manufacturing end of its sleeping car business. Pullman chose to retain the latter.

Several Bidders  
Now representing Ous & Co., Cleveland banking firm, Arnold declared that his client would be the only company which will separate the sleeping car business from the manufacturing business." He said the decision will be "one of the most important in transportation history."

Counsel for Pullman argued that the court lacked jurisdiction to reject the railroads' bid because "it happens to be unqualified acceptance of the railroads' offer of a contract authorized by the court."

George Wharton Pepper, Pullman counsel, pointed out that "the burden is on the others to prove that the contract should not be carried out."

Besides the railroads and Ous, other bidders are: Glare Forgan & Co., Chicago bankers, and Standard Steel Spring Co., Coraopolis, Pa.

## No Complaints On Stops Reach Mayor

No person nor group of persons have complained to me of there being too many bus stops," Mayor John F. Haven stated today when asked if any complaints had been made.

During gas shortage days city council sanctioned a skip-stop system. However, when gas rationing was eliminated council ordered the local bus company to make all former bus stops.

## NO EXTENSION OF BUS ROUTE ASKED

Shenango Valley Bus company officials have not yet been asked by the city to extend its Croton Avenue bus line to the city line and Hartshorn road as requested by Croton petitioners recently.

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## Guidance Council To Undertake Study Of Pupil Case Histories

Teachers, Principals Hear Representatives Of Social Agencies Discuss Case Study

Attempting to establish a closer relationship between the schools and the social work agencies in making case studies, members of the guidance council, principals of the city schools and the superintendent of schools met in the senior high auditorium Monday evening to hear representatives of various local agencies.

The schools are working out a city-wide plan of case study as part of their guidance study for this year. Extensive case histories of the plans and possibilities of individual children will be made with home visits as part of the process. Each teacher will plan one definite and thorough case study during the year, but the project still not end there. The techniques learned during the year will be carried on and used in future guidance work in the schools.

Speakers for the evening included Miss Elizabeth Breslin, executive

of the guidance council, made up of representatives from each of the schools in the city.

## Prizewinners In Garden Display

Harbor Garden Club Member Wins Award For Best Of Show  
In Monday's Judging

The long-awaited return of Revere Copper-Clad Stainless Steel Ware to the consumers market here was marked today with the announcement by D. G. Ramsey & Sons that they are now taking orders for these kitchen utensils again for the first time since 1942.

An initial assortment of the utilitarian and handsome Revere Ware has just been placed on display in Ramsey's Housewares Department as a means of reassuring the public that production of these utensils is actually under way, a spokesman for the store said.

Pieces for which orders can be held . . . and on a first come, first served basis . . . include sauce pans in two and three-quarter sizes, one and one-half and two-quart double boilers, a 10-inch French Chef skillet, a four-quart sauce pot, and a five and one-half quart Dutch oven.

Although these utensils represent only seven of the pre-war Revere line of 33 pieces, the balance of the line will soon be on the market when the manufacturer completes plans for doubling production facilities over pre-war figures, it was said.

The pieces now on display follow the accepted Revere Ware design, combining copper and stainless steel to insure even heat distribution, minimum water cooking and easy cleaning. They retain their Bakelite pistol-grip handles and snug-fitting lids.

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## BIRTHS

(Announcements to appear in this column must be signed with name and address of writer and also the name of doctor.)

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Leary, 125 Fairfield Avenue, a son Jameson Memorial hospital, December 7.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Galagher, 115 Patterson Avenue, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, December 11.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Glavin, 416 North Beaver street, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, December 11.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Horchner, 106 East Cherry street, a son, December 10, in the New Castle hospital.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew A. Venditto, 302 South Jefferson street, a daughter, December 10, in the New Castle hospital.

A special program will be presented by the lecturer.

## GRANGE NEWS

East New Castle

Regular meeting of East New Castle Grange No. 1536 will be held tonight in the grange hall. The third and fourth degree will not be conferred due to illness of members of the visiting degree team.

A special program will be presented by the lecturer.

## WILMINGTON GRANGE

The regular meeting of Wilmington grangers will be held in their hall on Thursday evening at 8:15 o'clock.

The literary program will be furnished by the men of the grange.

Chairman of the affair is Arthur Dunn, and he will be assisted by Bill Reed, Wendell Wilson, Russell M. Farland and Arthur Wilson.

Following the meeting a pie social will be conducted for the grange members.

Magazine salesmen posing as World War II veterans have been working Nebraska's capital city. The salesmen claim they receive points through a G-I point system for magazines sold. Better Business Bureau officials report that many orders taken for subscriptions were in cash and at less than the wholesale price.

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in the United States or abroad according to the acting secretary, Mrs. Ralph Cratty, 489 N. Newmarket Avenue.

Information can be obtained on the call by calling in touch with Mrs. Walter Ryan, 472 Newmarket Avenue, or calling 2428-R.

## Hospital Staff Meeting Tonight

New Castle Hospital staff meeting will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the meeting rooms of the United States Civil Service.

Applications and complete information may be obtained by applying to Miss Frances Gandy, telephone 1178, or at the local Post Office building on the public square.

## Veteran Hospitals Need Attendants

There is an extremely critical need for hundreds of male persons for duty as hospital attendants, mess attendants and orderlies in the Veterans Administration War and Navy Hospitals in Pennsylvania and Delaware, according to Captain Charles C. Johnson, chief of the United States Civil Service.

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#### DIES OF BURNS

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 11—(INS)—Sister Mary Annunciate, 60, director of missions at St. Mary's convent in Pittsburgh, was dead today of burns suffered when a convent candle set fire to her veil.

Formerly Elizabeth Donovan, Sister Annunciate entered the Sisters of Mercy order in 1905 and took her final vows in 1912.

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## Sgt. Budea Johns Writes Of Life On Iwo Jima Island

Soldier Discusses Existence Of The Last Garrison On The Rock'

A vivid letter has been received by The News from Sgt. Budea Johns of this city who is with the 3606th Ordnance Company on the desolate island of Iwo Jima. One of the last soldiers on the isle, Sgt. Johns discusses life there before the Army moves out and the base is taken over by the Navy:

"Since the last time I wrote you many changes have taken place on the island. We call it the 'Rock,' although it is more like heaps of ashy mounds and chalklike clay.

"The various placements of units are in a virtual stage of desertion and razed areas. Many of the AGP settlements have been abandoned by order of the Island Command and have been shipped out, either to the States or to some other occupation area. From the full island strength of 33,000 men, the population of Iwo has dropped to a mere 11,000. Shipping is getting brisker and we are assured of future evacuation.

#### Navy Will Take Over

"The Island Command has issued the order that the island will be cleared of all Army personnel by January 15, 1946, when the Navy will take over."

The weather here is getting cold, with strong winds and slashing sand squalls that go as fast as they come. It is like April in New Castle only the rains don't fall here, they are blown horizontally by the ocean winds.

#### Food Is Fair

"Our food is fair, but I know that I will never be able to look a goat in the face when I get home. 'New Zealand steaks' we call them—ugh! This is compensated by our coke ration."

"Our unit, which is maintenance, is salvaging and reclaiming all the automotive equipment and getting it ready for shipment."

"Not long ago I received a very pathetic request by a resident of Sharon who happened to read my little article in the News. This lady wrote to my wife and asked for my address on Iwo and offered her reasons."

"It seems that a Lt. Donald G. Howard of New Castle was killed on this island, the night of a Japanese suicide attack, March 26, 1945. His mother has never given up hope that he is still alive and this lady's aunt has asked me to take a photograph of his grave to verify it. I located the grave in the Fourth Marine Division Cemetery and took the picture. I hope this picture may in some way help to clear up some of the doubt and worry in their minds."

"This about winds up my end of it for this time. By the way Arms must have some good judgment, too. (I've been promoted to Sergeant.)"

#### ARRIVE IN NEWFOUNDLAND

William Alexander, 217 Pearson street, is in receipt of a letter from his sister-in-law, Miss Sally P. Botham, missionary to French West Africa, stating that she and her co-worker, Miss Cecelia Lewis, had arrived in Newfoundland after a five and a half hour trip from the States. The letter stated it would take nine and a half hours to reach Ireland, from that point and six and a half hours to Lisbon, Portugal.

## NEWS OF MEN AND WOMEN IN U. S. SERVICE

### More Schools Close Due To Flu Spread

#### More Eastern Pennsylvania Schools Are In Grip Of Spreading Flu Epidemic

(By International News Service)

The changing weather which has blanketed many Pennsylvania communities with snow, and soaked other areas with chilling rains offered no let up today in the increasing spread of the flu and grippe.

Young and old alike have been stricken, causing high absenteeism in factories, while more schools were closing their doors until the outbreak subsides.

Although health authorities have minimized fears, they urged the public to take ample precautions to prevent a spread of epidemic proportions.

Officials in Chester closed the Smedley Junior high school after a 13-year-old girl pupil was fatally stricken with what was diagnosed as influenza and pneumonia. Five hundred pupils of the Chester high schools were reported to have colds.

#### College Is Closed

The Pennsylvania Military college also was closed. Twenty-two cadets were reported to be ill from heavy colds. Near Norristown the West Norristown school was shut down until December 17. More than a fourth of the 330 pupils enrolled were absent.

Lancaster schools also were closed for a week. The grippe has struck 29 per cent of 9000 pupils in the city and in the nearby township of West Lampeter.

Five deaths from influenza were reported in Philadelphia last week, as well as 21 new cases of the sickness.

Churches schools and theaters were closed in Chambersburg, and Christmas vacations were begun earlier at the Wilson college and Penn Hall girls' schools nearby.

The western areas also felt the blow, with all schools in Avalon, a Pittsburgh suburb, closed. Two Johnstown schools also were reported shut down.

### Travers Sales Handles Packard

#### Advance Showing Of New Packard Is Now Being Made At Croton Avenue Sales Room

Advance showing of the new Packard car is being made now at Travers Sales and Service, John Travers proprietor, 420-422 Croton avenue, which building was acquired by Mr. Travers last year.

The new Packard car is a beautiful model embodying many new features not included in the pre-war car, which was one of the outstanding cars on the market at that time.

This new Packard Clipper incorporates 68 design and mechanical changes, and more powerful exterior appearance is gained with a newly treated radiator grille and more massive side-guard bumpers. There is also additional streamlined modern styling. This new car is now rolling off the assembly lines in quantity production.

### Communities Will Get Profit Share

WILKINSBURG, Pa., Dec. 11—(INS)—All 19 communities served by the Pennsylvania Water company were assured today of a share in the profits of an authority formed to purchase the firm.

Wilkinsburg council approved a trust deed that provides the profits will be divided among the 19 municipalities after the cost of the company has been met.

The \$5,000,000 purchase price will be financed by 30-year bonds and, it is estimated, these will be paid off in about 18 years.

Wilkinsburg council, which joined with Penn township officials to form the authority, also authorized the discontinuance of an \$8 service charge of fire plugs in all the communities as soon as the purchase of the utility company is approved by the Public Utility commission.

#### SERVICE PLUS

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 11—(INS)—The sequence went like this:

1. Newett street in the hilly Garfield district of Pittsburgh was icy.
2. The residents wanted ashes sprinkled.

3. The city sent out a truckload.

4. The truck skidded, turned over and dumped its load on S. Newett street.

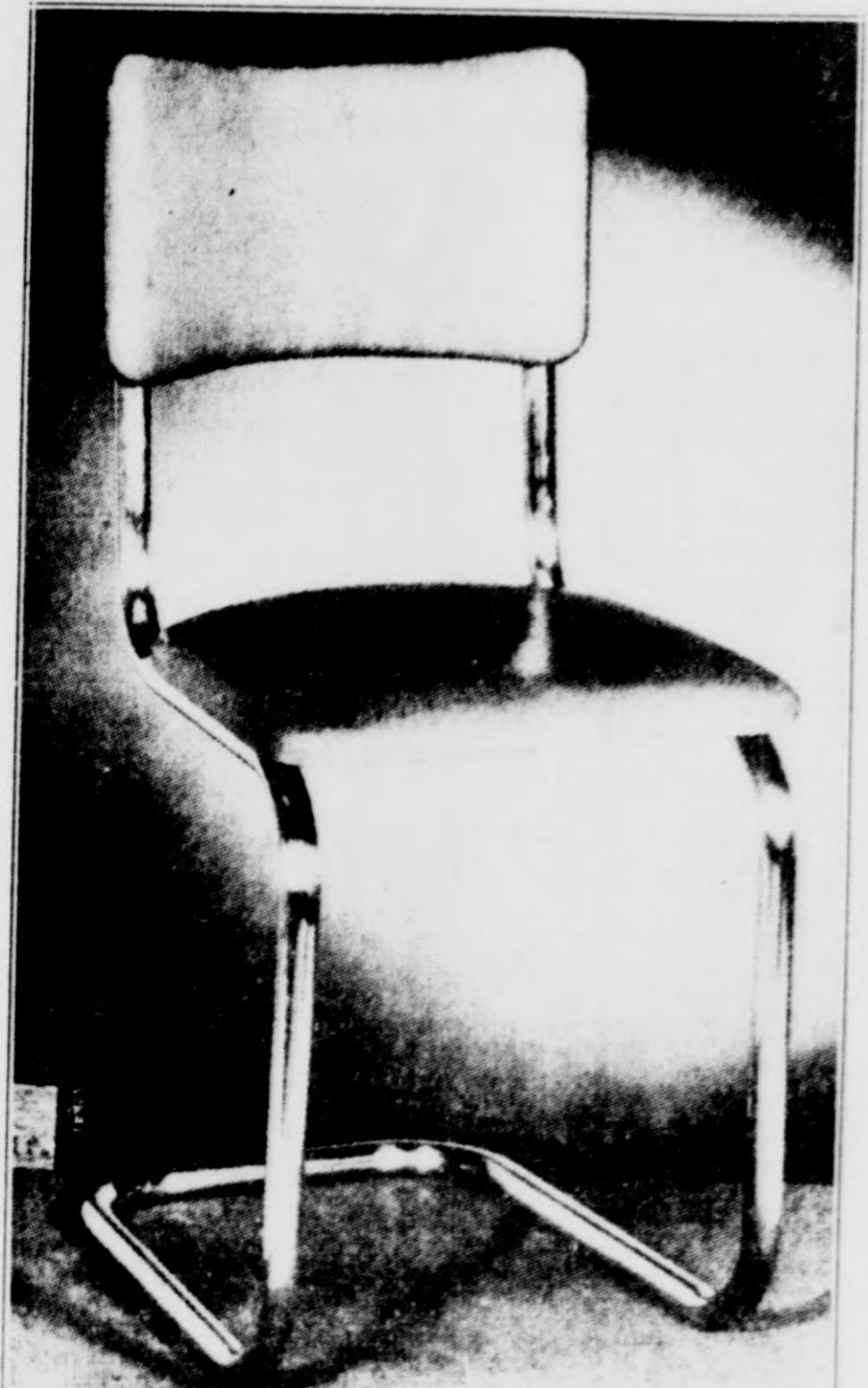
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### Majority Of Sunday Schools To Resume Christmas Treat

#### Steel Strike Decision Near

The chances are that if Jimmie and Susie behave themselves between now and Christmas and attend Sunday school for the next two Sundays, they will get their Christmas treat this year.

The exemplary boys and girls of the city for the past three years, most instances have been denied their usual Christmas candy because the shipping space used to bring in the sugar cane from the East and West Indies was used in getting Uncle Sam's boys over there to pit the Axis powers in their proper place.

In a survey made of 30 churches picked at random throughout the city, it is found that 85 per cent of the churches checked will be

The oldsters will have to wait until Christmas of '47 for the candy to reach them as most of the churches are confining the treats to primary junior and intermediate departments of their respective schools.

The first state to levy a motor fuel tax was Oregon in 1919.

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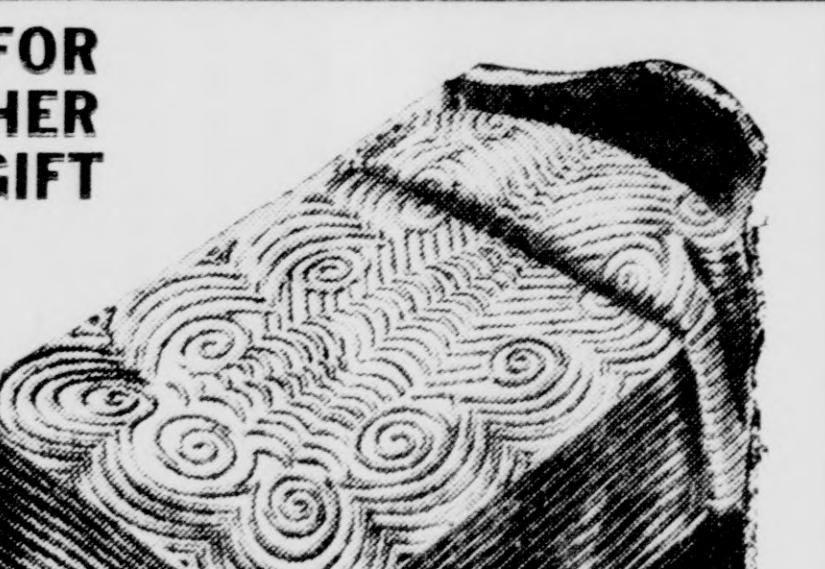
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## Separate Air Force Proposed

Legislation Introduced To Provide Air Force Separate From Army And Navy

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(INS)—Legislation was introduced in the house Monday to establish an air force separate from the army and navy.

Sponsors of the bill—chairmen of the house military and naval committees—are opposed to the proposed unification of the armed forces.

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Receiving his honorable discharge from the Army at Indianantown Gap, Pfc. Joseph Carrigan, has arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Carrigan, 112 Atlantic Avenue.

Pfc. Carrigan has been in the Army three years, 19 months of which were spent overseas, in England, France, Luxembourg and Germany with 932nd Signal Battalion as an aid man with the medical department.

His awards consist of the Good Conduct Ribbon, ETO Ribbon, with five battle stars and the American Theater Ribbon.

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No building has yet been selected by members of city council upon which the city intends to have painted the name of the city, signs pointing north and south, and mileage from the city to the nearest airport, as suggested to the city by the State Board of Aeronautics according to Property Director Joe Alexander.

Pennsylvania Power company Service Building is one of the local structures which may have sufficient room on the roof and a building being erected by Mooney Bros. may also have sufficient roof surface for the lettering, when the building is completed.

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CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—(INS)—Coaches with a bulge to accommodate passengers with a bulge were put in service today by the Chicago, Aurora and Elgin Electric Railroad.

Recognizing that passengers of more than average beam sometimes find themselves cramped, the management met the problem in the simplest possible way, by widening the coaches.

The extra width was made possible by a bulge starting just above the floor level of the coach and tapering at the top. This gives the passengers an extra eight inches of seat space.

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Will Discuss Conditions In Europe As He Found Them On Recent Trip There

Rev. Hugh Thompson Kerr, D. D., a former moderator of the Presbyterian church General Assembly U. S. A. and until recently, pastor of the Shadyside Presbyterian church, Pittsburgh, will address a mass meeting in the First Presbyterian church, North Jefferson street, Friday evening, Dec. 14, at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. Kerr, who is coming under the sponsorship of the Laymen's committee of Shenango Presbytery, has just returned from Europe, and will give an eye witness account of conditions as he found them there.

The meeting is open to the general public.

### ON COURT HOUSE HILL

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATIONS

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Michael B. Salata, R. D. 1, Lowellville, O.; Mary A. Almasy, R. D. 1, Lowellville, O.

William A. Luther, 508 Garfield avenue, Youngstown, O.; Mary Ann Kahl, New Bedford.

Edward J. O'Neill, 915 Dearborn street, Baden; Hazel M. Cotter, 411 Franklin avenue, Aliquippa.

Lloyd K. Balles, 425 North Bentley avenue, Niles, O.; Betty J. Hardman, 522 York avenue, Warren, O.

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James A. Cavarelli and wife to Joseph L. Bosco and wife, Fourth Ward, \$1.

Margaret Pearl McCurdy to Walter E. McCurdy and wife, Slippery Rock township, \$1.

Caroline E. Newton and others to Vannina E. Kashner and wife, Perry township, \$1.

Carrie E. Zehner and others to Myrtle B. Merriman, Fourth Ward, \$1.

Frank R. Fehl and wife, to James J. Stevenson and wife, Second Ward, \$1.

Mary B. Shaddick and others to William D. Nelson and wife, Second Ward, \$1.

Fannie J. Shulier to Margaret M. Simpson, Second Ward, \$1.

#### ASKS PLEA CHANGE

In a petition to the court C. E. Keitzer has asked for permission to change his plea of guilty to involuntary manslaughter to not guilty and stand trial, Judge W. Walter Graham is considering the petition.

In a collision with the car of Mrs. Minnie Dean, matron of the New Castle "Swing Lobby," Mrs. Dean was killed in the Hurlbush road. Keitzer was charged with involuntary manslaughter and pleaded guilty. He now sets out that he had done without the advice of counsel and wishes to change his plea and stand trial.

#### New 'Bulge' Car For Portly Folks

CHICAGO, Dec. 11.—(INS)—Coaches with a bulge to accommodate passengers with a bulge were put in service today by the Chicago, Aurora and Elgin Electric Railroad.

Recognizing that passengers of more than average beam sometimes find themselves cramped, the management met the problem in the simplest possible way, by widening the coaches.

The extra width was made possible by a bulge starting just above the floor level of the coach and tapering at the top. This gives the passengers an extra eight inches of seat space.

Storm and weather signals began to be displayed in England about 1863.

#### Senior Girls Hear Nurses Discuss Work

One of a series of vocational guidance meetings arranged by the Senior High school, a conference of 40 to 50 senior girls interested in nursing and three registered nurses from local hospitals was held Monday morning in the high school auditorium.

The nurses were Julie Martin of the Jameson hospital, Mary Margaret Buckley of the New Castle hospital, and Leila Cole of the New Castle. They explained the courses, program of study, work, social life and expenses of the three year training course, and discussed the requirements of their hospitals.

Going into their subject even further, they pointed out the various fields to which nursing leads, such as public health work, industrial work and work in veterans' hospitals as well as general and private duty.

#### A ROUND CITY HALL

Police pension board and city council have changed the pension law for police upon retirement at the age of 65 from \$50 to \$60. Council gave the city treasurer permission to purchase 20,000 three-cent stamps for treasury business.

City Engineer John Z. Street was asked to make a report and recommendation of a request by Louis Cohen to build a sanitary sewer on his Neel street property and connect it with the city system and which would become part of the public system. Council passed a motion of Safety Director D. O. Davies instructing the legal department to confer with the school board and county commissioners relative to the city acquiring some Taylor street lots taken by the county for delinquent taxes. The thoroughfare is to be paved next spring according to promises of the state highway department.

#### Suicides In Japan Now Out Of Fashion

TOKYO, Dec. 11.—(INS)—Jack Potter, correspondent for the London Daily Express laughingly asked a Japanese newsman today about the dictate of war criminals for suicide.

The Londoner complained that he needed serious news and got this very serious reply:

"Oh, haven't you heard—suicides have gone out of fashion."

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Heinz Chicken Noodle	
<b>Soup</b> . . . . . can 14c	
51/2-oz. Jar Sultana Manzanilla	
<b>Olives</b> . . . . . 35c	
Stuffed	
Waldorf Salad	
<b>Tissue</b> . . . . . 6 rolls 25c	
1 lb. Can Cold Stream Pink	
<b>Salmon</b> . . . . . 21c	
3 lb. jar Crisco	
<b>Shortening</b> . . . . . 68c	
No. 21/2 Can Del Monte	
<b>Peaches</b> . . . . . 26c	
(Yellow cling sliced)	
No. 21/2 Can Iona	
<b>Apricots</b> . . . . . 24c	
(Halves unpeeled)	
Whitehouse	
<b>Milk</b> . . . . . 6 cans 54c	
(Vitamin D)	
No. 2 Can Sliced Del Monte	
<b>Pineapple</b> . . . . . 20c	
No. 2 Can Donald Duck Grapefruit	
<b>Juice</b> . . . . . 13c	
(Unsweetened)	
Heinz Vegetable	
<b>Soup</b> . . . . . can 13c	
55 lb. Bag Ceresota	
<b>Fleur</b> . . . . . \$1.19	
No. 2 Can Iona	
<b>Peas</b> . . . . . 12c	
(Sweet June)	
BRING YOUR OWN SHOPPING BAG!	

## Youth Military Training Outline Presented Today

War Department Gives Picture Of What Military Training Would Mean To Youths

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(INS)—The War department presented a "before and after" picture of the nation's youth to Congress in urging adoption of the Army's universal military training program.

Distributed among members of the House Military Affairs committee studying the proposed legislation, the pamphlet was strikingly similar to booklets on campus life issued by colleges to increase enrollment.

Eighteen-year-old "boys entering one year's training were expected to emerge as strapping young giants both mentally and physically well equipped to engage in possible future wars."

The graphic illustration of a boy's life under the program supplemented testimony prepared by Maj. Gen. Ray N. Porter, director of the War department's special planning division.

Boys would be chosen for the training at the age of 18 or upon graduation from high school under similar procedure to selective service. The department said:

"It will be as though he were leaving home for college or a new job."

Camps In South

Camps would be placed largely in the south to obtain year-round training, the Army disclosed, and when the trainee comes home

he has learned to play new sports; he has learned the habit of concentration in study; he has learned to assume responsibility and exercise leadership; he looks a man.

"Outdoor living, exercise, hours, and well-balanced meals have strengthened him and given him endurance. He is physically fit and mentally alert."

The department stressed that the boys would not become regimented or militaristic. Instructors would be drawn largely from the officers' reserve corps—civilians like the youths they train.

In addition to health, recreation and religious programs offered under the Army's plan to round out the nation's youth, the system would involve recruit, technical and both small and large unit training

The slang expression "Clink" was derived from an old prison at Bankside, London, name The Clink.

## HARLANSBURG

### MISSIONARY MEETING

An all day meeting of the Ladies Missionary of the Presbyterian church was held Thursday at Mrs. Andrew Johnson's. Twenty-five were present with the following out of town guests: Mrs. A. Werner, Mrs. Ruth Werner and Mrs. Astrid Werner of Wampum and Mrs. Harold of Butler.

The president, Mrs. Pearle Byers, led the meeting. Plans were made for packing boxes for "shut-ins" and the boys in service for Christians. A cake was served commemorating the re-naming of society to "Mary Ellen Bell" society ten years ago.

The program was in charge of Mrs. Donley. A Christmas meditation playlet was given with the appropriate Christmas music furnished by Mrs. Ruth West.

Games and Christmas tests were well enjoyed. Mrs. Santa Claus arrived and made herself "right at home".

Gift exchange was next in order and was followed by "A snowman souvenir".

Adjourned to meet the first Thursday in January at the home of Mrs. Ruth West.

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Mrs. Edith Harlan has been quite ill for some time past and is at the home of David Harlan, her son, in New Castle.

Mrs. Fannie Thompson, who has been ill for several weeks, is some improved.

Many school children are suffering with the "flu".

John Baumgardner shot a deer near his home at the game farm.

Tom McCracken had the good luck of getting a deer this season. Don Fleming also shot a deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCormick have returned from their hunting trip and shot an 8-point deer.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. McFarland visited recently at Hillsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eakin and Mrs. Virginia Burnsides attended the funeral of Mrs. Robert Nelson at Struthers. O. recently. Mrs. Nelson was an aunt of Mrs. Burnsides.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hall and children visited on Sunday with Mrs. Adeline Hall of Orwell, O.

The 4-H club of Harlansburg and mothers of members will meet at the Liberty grange hall on December 14 at 7:30. Miss McClain will demonstrate Christmas decorations. There will be a gift exchange.

Francis Boak has purchased the Tom Blair home on the New Castle-Harlansburg road.

Mrs. Esther McConnell visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Lawrence of East New Castle recently.

### State Leads

### In Delinquency Investigations

HARRISBURG, Dec. 11.—(INS)—Surveys of factors contributing to juvenile delinquency were being conducted in 23 Pennsylvania counties today by the Pennsylvania Federation of Women's clubs.

The survey, ordered by the 1945 general assembly as a base for drafting remedial legislation, is being directed by the State Welfare department.

Dr. E. Preston Sharpe director of the department's Bureau of Community Work, said several initial surveys had been submitted.

The progress of the Pennsylvania organization is the most outstanding in the nation, according to reports issued at a federation meeting in Washington, Sharpe said.

The study will determine remedial measures necessary at local and county levels, according to Sharpe. Health, financial and environmental factors will be taken into consideration, he added.

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Youngsters at Christmastime

Don't Overlook Watchful Care

Get a Christmas tree for the children by all means but don't neglect their health. In the holiday rush they are sometimes overlooked.

See that they get Father John's Medicine.

For over 90 years mothers have found it of great value. When colds result from lack of Vitamin A it helps build resistance.

Father John's Medicine gives quick relief from coughs due to colds by soothing the throat irritation. It is pure, wholesome nutritive and free from all harmful drugs.

Discharged—Domenick Davelli, 731 East Main street; James Krueger, box 446, Wampum; Charles Lee, Leland Russo, R. D. 7; Mrs. Rachel Carvello, 1024 South Mill street; Dorothy Carrier, 116½ North Ray street.

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# WILL THERE BE A STEEL STRIKE?

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**Not if the CIO abides by its  
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**Question:** What would be the general effect on the country of a steel strike?

**Answer:** Over 40 per cent of all the factory workers in the country earn their living by making steel into useful products for American life. A shut-down of the steel industry would be a disastrous blow to reconversion and would cause a serious loss in both wages and industrial production at a time when they were most needed.

**Question:** Is it true that the Steelworkers Union has pledged itself not to strike?

**Answer:** Yes. Every contract which the Union has signed this year with the various steel companies has a clause wherein the Union agrees not to strike during the life of the contract.

**Question:** Are those contracts still in effect?

**Answer:** Yes. They were signed in the spring of 1945 to run until October, 1946.

**Question:** Who signed for the Union?

**Answer:** Its international officials—Philip Murray, Van Bittner, Clinton Golden and others—and the local Union heads at the various plants.

**Question:** Is there no "escape clause" by which either side could end the agreements?

**Answer:** No. The Union demanded a fixed, long-term contract and got it.

**Question:** Why did they want a long-term contract?

**Answer:** In the Union's own words before the War Labor Board, "The Union's request for a termination date of October, 1946,

is not made capriciously or pressed here for bargaining purposes. It represents the considered view of the Union that only such a term will adequately serve the needs of stability."

**Question:** Did the recent strike vote violate the contracts?

**Answer:** No. Only an actual strike would violate them.

**Question:** Haven't there been strikes already during the life of the contracts?

**Answer:** Yes. There were 998 strikes in steel plants during the past year alone. They were mostly local strikes which the Union characterizes as "wildcat," but they meant a big loss in production.

**Question:** Does the end of the war justify changing the contracts?

**Answer:** No. The bond was sealed on both sides and should be kept whether times be good or bad. The steel companies are continuing to live up to these agreements. If a strike is called, it will be in clear violation of the existing contracts.

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**A strike in the face of existing contracts would shatter any confidence in the validity of union agreements in the steel industry.**

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# Red Cross Worker Home From Leyte

Miss Sarah Loudon Returns After 18 Months In Hawaii, Six Months On Leyte

## PRAISES COURAGE OF WOUNDED MEN

"The most courageous people I have ever known," says Miss Sarah Loudon, of the men she met in the hospital wards on Leyte where she served as a Red Cross worker.

Just returned from the Pacific area where she spent 18 months in Hawaii and six months on Leyte, Miss Loudon is home for 20 days and expects to be recalled to duty within the Union States.

### Still Mapping Out

On Leyte, mapping and mopping were still under way when Miss Loudon arrived, and there were still so many wounded that she gave up both for the Red Cross hospitals. The girls lived in tents, sleeping on cots and other features their sheets and shirts on their beds, and hanging them on the nearest poles.

Reveries were at a minimum, and by eight o'clock the girls were on duty, spending much of their time in the wards with the Battalion patients and part of their time in the recreation hall with the convalescents. For those who were able to "sit groups," but recreation hall was kept open until 10 o'clock at night, and last night a number were made to keep the hall open until ten o'clock for the benefit of the service personnel at the hospital.

And Then the Laundry

WARREN, Pa., Dec. 11—(INS)—Police investigated further today the death of John Mukins, 26, of Edinboro, whose body was dragged from the Allegheny river near Warren.

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LOST—Tension's Swiss wrist watch between Castleton Hotel and Buffet St., \$50 reward. Phone 4653-27.

LOST—Black billfold, Tuesday morning between Gas Office and New Castle Store. Finder call 4696.

WILL—the man who got the wrong black overcoat with black gloves to pocket at the Sons of Italy, 10th West Main Street, Please The New. He can get his overcoat.

LOST—White shepherd pup, Sunday, a month old, phone 413, 112 North Main St., Phone 2932-R. Reward \$25.

FOUND—Reddish-brown, and black hunting dog, inquire Bambi Butch, R. D. 1, Volant.

LOST—Machinery South Side, Friday afternoon, white English settee, 56-57. Reward J. S. Wilkison, 51 Lyndon St., Phone 542-3012.

PERSONALS

TUXEDOS and full dress rented by the day. Fitted to exact indications. Van Fleet & Bono 954-1236.

CHRISTMAS Special! 5x7 portraits, in 3-piece easel folders, for \$5.50 per dozen. Glenn E. Montgomery, photographer, 516 N. Main St., Phone 3397.

ICE SKATES sharpened, scissors, saws, etc. Bring your skates now and avoid the rush. Bob's Cycle & Lock Service, 107 N. Jefferson St.

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1937 PACKARD sedan, good condition. \$450. Within ceiling. 462 Waldo St., or call 3720-R. 112-3

AT TRAILER headquarters, new and used trailers. Complete stock trailer supplies. 3235 Market St., Youngstown.

1936 STUDEBAKER coupe, good condition. tires, new motor. \$350. Within ceiling. Phone 1818. Inquire Bick's Dairy.

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## ROOMS

## Rooms For Housekeeping

FOR RENT—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping in modern country home kitchen private, semi-private bath. References. Phone New Castle 5087-R. 2012-48

## REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

## Apartments For Rent

SMITH'S APT.—2 or 3 fam. rooms, modern. References required. 2012-48. Crotton. Phone 4827-B. 29412-42

## Business Places For Rent

FOR RENT—Swimming pond, north of the city, in reliable party. Address: Box 500, care of News, 20112-44

## Houses For Rent

FOOT RENT—Six room house, gas, electric, furnace, no bath, garage, no yard, no commando. Edward D. Pritchard, 2242. 29412-46

## Wanted To Rent Or Lease

WANTED—2 or 3 furnished rooms, in one location, for exercise man and wife. Refined couple. Can pay cash. References. Call 5087-R. 2012-47

WANTED—Papa or momma house, two or three bedrooms, one bathroom, American furniture, no children. Write P. O. Box 862. 29412-47

WANTED—Two or three rooms, furnished apartment, by couple, with child. Phone room 521. Casterton Hotel. 29412-47

WANTED—By young married couple, between 3 or 4 rooms, furnished apartment. Preferably, one car. Call before noon. 521. 2012-47

## REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

## Farms For Sale

ACADEMY FARM—Six room house, gas, electric, furnace, no bath, no yard, no commando. Ed. P. Smith, Deacon Blue. 29412-217

INVESTMENT PROPERTY—Six-unit apartment building located on corner of W. Washington St. Without furniture. Downtown. P. O. Box 500, care of News, 20112-44

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WE HAVE returned several times inquiring for houses North of New Castle buyers. Last time property in question sold. J. D. Beadel, Room 500, care of News, 20112-44

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EAST SIDE—Modern brick house, 2 stories, 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, central heating, all modern conveniences. Possession November 1. Edward D. Pritchard, 2242. 29412-47

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NEAR BEN FRANKLIN

Small house with 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, central heating, all modern conveniences. Possession November 1. Edward D. Pritchard, 2242. 29412-47

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THIRSTY BANDITS

WHEELING, W. Va., Dec. 11.—(INS)—A gang of thugs was sought today by Wheeling police after it broke into the C. A. Schaefer Beer Distributing company warehouse, broke 50 cases of beer, stole truck loaded with 179 cases and a safe containing \$700 in cash.

The truck and the beer was found wrecked near Clinton and the safe a short distance away, battered open.

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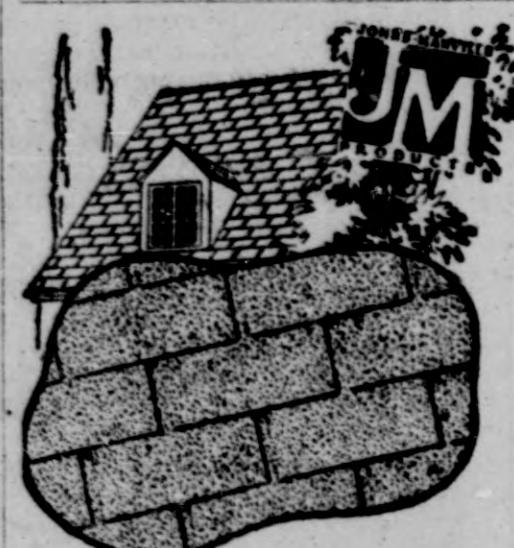
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U.S. Communists**F. B. I. Head Warns Police  
Chiefs Of Nation Against  
Purveyors of Alien  
Isms

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 11.—(INS)—FBI Chief J. Edgar Hoover on Monday branded American Communists as foes of the United States who are attempting to "undermine our Democratic institutions."

In an address before the 52nd annual meeting of the International Association of Police Chiefs, Hoover warned against "the subversive and purveyor of alien isms who seek to transform the America we know and love to a land of class struggle."

"The fight against Fascism continues," Hoover told the police chiefs. "To the Fascist foe must be added another, the American Communist. Fascist Smear Attempt!"

These panders of diabolical dis-trust already are concentrating their efforts to confuse and divide by applying the Fascist smear to progressive police departments, the FBI and other American institutions to conceal their own sinister purposes.

"The godless, truthless way of life that American Communists would force on America can mean only tyranny and oppression if they succeed. They are against the liberty which is America—they are for the license of their own."

Used Confidence Man Tricks

"The Fascist-minded tyrant whom we conquered on the battlefields is no different from the American Communists' corruptionist who now uses the tricks of the confidence man until his forces are sufficiently strong to rise with arms in revolt."

"The big guns of the Communist party in the U. S. are aimed at returning veterans, openly boasting that there is a new front behind which they can hide."

They have selected a worthy foe, for the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars are too experienced in fighting America's enemies to be hoodwinked by these Communist swindlers," he stated.

Hoover asserted that "America cannot exist half Democratic and half Communist or Fascist."

Twenty-Six Have  
Police Permits To  
Carry Revolver

Prior to anyone obtaining a permit to carry a revolver in New Castle the person seeking the permit must convince Chief of Police Robert D. Hanna that he not only has a good reputation, knows how to handle a revolver but in addition must prove that he is engaged in a position such as a paymaster, man who carries considerable money and needs it for protection of himself and valuables. Only 26 persons here own such permits from the police chief.

**Koppers, Inc., May  
Buy Kobuta Works**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(INS)—The Reconstruction Finance corporation today awaited a second bid from Koppers, Inc., a Pittsburgh chemical manufacturing plant which is seeking to purchase the Kobuta Rubber plant in Beaver county, Pa. The first bid was turned down, the RFC explained. "Because it laid down certain conditions which the RFC was unable to grant."

An RFC official said that no other bids have been received and that Koppers has been requested to send in another bid.

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Pantherettes Club  
Pantherette club Christmas party  
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# Society AND Clubs

## ATLAS-O'BRIEN EVENING WEDDING

Miss Hazel Atlas, daughter of Harry Athoules of the Fountain hotel, became the bride of Francis H. O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. O'Brien, Cunningham avenue, at a double ring ceremony Saturday evening at 7:30 in Epworth Methodist church, in the form of a candlelight service, with Rev. G. D. Braum officiating.

The bride was attired in a powder blue street length dress with pink accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds.

Her attendant, Mrs. Saline Douglas, wore a lime green dress with white accessories and a corsage of red rosebuds.

Charles W. O'Brien, brother of the groom, served as best man. John Dripps, Jr., and Walter Ziegler were ushers.

Mrs. Roy Kapp, cousin of the groom, sang the selections "Because" and "I Love You Truly," accompanied at the organ by Mrs. Anna Pyle.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

The newlyweds, after a short wedding trip, have taken up residence at 821 East Washington street.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. O'Brien and Dale O'Brien of Beaver, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kapp of New Brighton, Mrs. Ellabeth O'Brien of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Ona Rhodes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Brien and Mrs. Wilda Glover of Beaver Falls.

Mrs. O'Brien is employed at the Economy Dress shop and is a graduate of New Castle high school.

Mr. O'Brien attended New Castle high school and was recently discharged from the army medical department after serving 49 months overseas. He is employed at the Fisher Bros. Dry Goods company.

## NOGAY-KIMMEL ENGAGEMENT NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Nogay, of 106 Hillcrest avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Stetia Ann, to W. Thomas Kimmel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimmel, Sr., Mounted Route 7, Ellwood City.

No date has been set for the wedding. Mr. Kimmel was recently discharged from the army.

## MAHONING BOOK CLUB WILL MEET

Mahoning Book club will meet with Mrs. E. C. Hubert, West Cherry street, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for luncheon.

**Surprised On Birthday**

Mrs. Thomas Perry, of Wampum R. D. No. 2, entertained at a surprise birthday party for her daughter Lois Jean, who celebrated her 12th birthday Saturday.

The afternoon was spent playing games, after which a delightful lunch was served to 20 little guests.

The honored guest received many lovely gifts. Mrs. Perry was assisted in serving by her daughter, Jerry, and Mrs. Walter Ray.

Later gifts were exchanged, with Mrs. Mildred DeCristofaro in charge. Lunch was served by the host, aided by his sister, Ethna, and his mother, Mrs. Sulmonetti.

Rosetta and Charlotte Caravaggio will be hostesses at the next session in the church Saturday evening, January 19.

**Stitch-A-Bit Club**

Stitch-A-Bit club associates gathered in a local dining room Monday evening for their holiday assembly and dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Croyle, Mrs. Alex Hanna and husbands of the members were special guests.

Following serving, Mrs. Leroy Book, acting as Santa Claus, distributed gifts.

Later cards were enjoyed, with trophies being captured by Mrs. Frank Hamilton and Leroy Book.

Mrs. Robert Brown, of the Wilmington road, will be hostess at the next session Monday evening, January 7.

**B. O. T. 8 O'Clock Club**

B. O. T. 8 O'Clock club will have a special Christmas meeting on December 22 and the next regular meeting on January 4 at the home of Mrs. Wayne Cunningham, Wampum.

Games were the pastime at a recent meeting of the club held at the home of Mrs. Mary Fundato, R. D. 7. Prizes were awarded Mrs. Wayne Cunningham and Mrs. Mary Masterson.

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## MEMBERSHIP TEA OF READING CIRCLE '91

Reading Circle '91 held a membership tea in the charming home of Miss Iretta Dart, East Washington street, Monday afternoon, when about 20 members and guests assembled in the attractive living room in spite of the inclement weather. Christmas colors decorated the home and at the tea table also the Christmas motif was carried out in centerpiece, candies, and appointments.

Dr. Dale Coulter Caldwell presided and Mrs. Roy Long offered an invocation.

Cards were sung followed by a business meeting during which Mrs. H. C. Mitchell gave a report on the meeting of the Literature and Fine Arts committee of the Lawrence County Federation of Women's Clubs.

Dr. Caldwell spoke on "Federated Clubs in general and the Reading Circle '91 in particular" with a resume of the work of the federated clubs, their goal, their legislative program, the Pennsylvania State song and their motto, "Let Us Arise and Build." She reviewed the work of the club and paid tribute to members of 50 years ago.

Mrs. Roy Jamison and Mrs. Frank Hanna presented the sealed program of the afternoon, a skit which covered the outstanding programs and meetings of the past years.

Tea was served with Dr. Caldwell and Mrs. E. L. Davenport pouring. Mrs. Thomas Lindsey, Mrs. Roy Long, Mrs. T. C. Boston and Mrs. E. L. Davenport were the tea committee.

**CURRENT EVENTS**

'06 KENSINGTON

Current Events '06 class annual Christmas meeting held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edwin Rummel, 611 Court street, was in the nature of a kensington.

On the program, Mrs. George McClelland presented the Christmas story, "Lights and a Star," by Christine Parmenter.

Mrs. W. M. Jordan, president, was in charge of a short business meeting.

A gift exchange among members was in charge of Mrs. James Hinkson.

Refreshments committee was Mrs. E. A. Cook, Mrs. George Ramsey, and Mrs. Mary Martin.

Mrs. Ella Caldwell was a special guest.

Next meeting will be January 14 when Mrs. Clyde Sanders will be hostess. A book review will be given by Mrs. John Ingham.

**J. O. Y. CLASS**

EVENING EVENT

J. O. Y. class of the First Baptist Church was entertained at the home of Mrs. Paul Fombelle, old Pittsburg road, on a recent evening.

Devotions were in charge of Mrs. Clare Lutz.

Mrs. Gladys Kray was program leader and she, with a group of girls, presented a carol log with Mrs. Montgomery Rodgers at the piano. All joined in singing Christmas carols to close.

Santa Claus, later revealed as Mrs. Charles T. Metzler, teacher of the class, distributed gifts. Mrs. Metzler was then presented with a gift from the class.

Refreshments were served with Mrs. May Grossman, Mrs. Delores Grossman and Mrs. Frank Brunner as aides.

**TIFERETH SISTERHOOD  
COMMITTEE NAMED**

Due to the card party planned for Wednesday evening at the synagogue, there will be no meeting of Tifereh Israel Sisterhood this evening.

Committee in charge of Wednesday evening fund-raising event is Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. L. Zieve, Mrs. A. Goldman, Mrs. G. Slavonick, Mrs. M. Waldman, Mrs. P. Alpern, Mrs. S. Levin, Mrs. H. Pitoff, Mrs. S. Schwartz, Mrs. C. Maierson, Mrs. A. Cohen, Mrs. J. Cobb, and Mrs. F. Frank.

Hostesses are Mrs. T. Alansky, Mrs. D. Alansky, Mrs. C. Alansky, Mrs. M. Kantz, Mrs. H. Coslow, Mrs. C. Kushner, Mrs. N. Land, Mrs. J. Grossman, Mrs. A. Samuel, Mrs. J. Bergren.

Entertainment will start at 8 o'clock.

**Union Label League**

Women's Union Label league will have a tureen dinner this evening at six o'clock in the Trades and Labor Assembly hall, followed by the regular meeting.

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